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I owned a black and tan terrier from 1874 to 1881. I received him when quite a puppy and he was with me through part of my university and the whole of my seminary terms. In 1880 I married and in 1881 my first child was born. The first time she was brought down into the sitting room I, like a proud father, took the little one in my arm. The dog came in and expressed his jealousy by a series of growls and an attempt to get at the child by jumping. I gave him a hint with my foot and he walked out of the house. We saw nothing of him for over three months. One day while walking near the outer part of the town where we lived we saw old Croaker, as we called him. He took no notice of us, but walked straight to a place where there was a trim-looking garden and a neat-looking house. Upon inquiry we found that it was inhabited by two elderly spinster sisters. The dog had gone to them and could not be induced to leave. He was determined to avoid a similar danger in the future.—Chicago Tribune.

Try Chamberlain's Pain Balm for Rheumatism.

Mr. J. W. Jamison, a merchant of Newport, Iowa, says: "I have sold Chamberlain's Pain Balm for several years and have recommended it for neuralgia and rheumatism, as well as for more common pains, and it has given good results. I sell more of it than any other liniment I carry, and cheerfully recommend it to the public. For sale by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

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FOR PRESIDENT:

WM. JENNINGS BRYAN

On a Platform to fit the Candidate's Unimpeached Integrity and Democracy.

O, YES, the tariff on paper is going to be taken off by the Republicans—"after the election." And the Cannons and the Aldriches covertly snicker and say unto one another, "What fools these voters be!"

WHEN it comes to platitudinosity, between Taft and Hughes, the honors are about even; but it may be a spice of sincerity in the latter gentleman's easy commonplaces makes them somewhat the more palatable.

FOR one, I don't want the duty taken off paper until the whole Robber Tariff goes. The man who denounces thievery only when he is plundered, and is content to let his neighbors suffer from outlaws may be sufficient unto himself, but is not a desirable member to any community.

JUDGE FORT has withdrawn from the gubernatorial race. The announcement is not a surprise to me. I have been looking for it for some time. It is stated that he is disappointed in not getting the endorsement and backing of the Governor. The Judge is evidently a mighty poor student of human nature, else he would long since have learned that Joey is for Joey only—first, last, and all the time.

THE young man of the Post-Dispatch has Bryanitis in its most virulent form. He is now actually frothing at the mouth—slobbering in double-leaded law Italian. O, it is harrowing, and still more harrowing when one thinks of that which is in store for him ere his day of dissolution! Colorado's climate, if taken in time, is almost always a sure cure for the "white plague," but it has no efficacy for black vomit. The y. m. must not in vain hope turn his glazing eyes toward Denver. Better far that he dutifully take his medicine, put off his false garb of Democracy, and await with Christian resignation the unavoidable.

A thrashing 's not a pleasing thing,
Nor yet to young or old,
But O, one feels a sharper sting
When Right the whip doth hold!

THE Kansas City Star is a bright particular luminary in the folk constellation; at the same time, it twinkles for Taft and Hadley. For my part, I am suspicious of the Democracy of a man who can command the support of such a piratical sheet. The Post, in its every issue for months past, has been specifically charging W. R. Nelson, editor and owner of the Star, with grafting and blackmailing privately and publicly, to the limit. No suit for libel has been filed, up to date; and, unless indications are deceptive, the people of Kansas City are with the Post in the fight. Sam Cook and Albert O. Allen and the remainder of the Democratic ticket—saving Polk alone—were not good enough for Nelson four years ago, and I am glad that he has no love for Bill Stone now.

I TAKE this from ex-Senator Burton's Home-Rule, and join with him in his criticism of the "American Spy System." Twenty-five years ago the REGISTER entered its objection to this system which practically subjects promotion of inspectors to the number of "cases" they make. Selfishness is always over-zealous in its own cause.

Down in St. Louis this week a Federal judge ordered the acquittal of four local business men whose business had been destroyed and who had been indicted by the efforts of the local post-office inspectors. The cases of three other business men, more or less connected with the same enterprise, and who had also been indicted through the efforts of these same inspectors, had previously been dismissed by the district attorney. The enterprise in question is alleged to have been perfectly legitimate, but to have antagonized certain insurance powers. The enterprise was destroyed by the inspectors, and for nearly two years the business men connected with it have been put under a cloud and almost ruined. Now they are either dismissed without even a trial, or ordered acquitted by the Federal judge. This government pays out

millions of dollars to maintain a force of spies. They often overstep their rights to earn their money. It is refreshing to see one instance where they are called down.

From Texas.

DALLAS, Texas, Feb'y 28.

Dear Ironton Friends—A neighbor, who lived for a number of years in St. Louis, came in to see me yesterday. She said, "Don't you like Texas better than Missouri?" I told her, "No, I can't say that I do. Texas is all right; there are many things I like here, but one naturally loves best the land of their birth."

People are making garden now. The peach and plum trees are in bloom, and the willow by my window is putting out leaves.

There has been more sickness than usual this winter; not only here, but in other places, and Ironton has not escaped, I notice. We were not surprised to hear of the death of Mr. Whitworth. Ninety-one is a good old age—and how we miss the old people. We were sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Kendall, and our sympathies go out to the bereaved family.

We are always interested in all the news from the churches of Ironton. Dallas has ten Presbyterian churches. Five belong to the Southern General Assembly and five to the Northern. Each has its own Aid, Missionary and Young Peoples' Societies, but all unite in City Missions. The City Mission Board is composed of representatives from each church who meet once each month to plan the work. We have a cottage two blocks from Union Station, where the Head President lives, and which is headquarters for all the work. We have a Girls' Club where the girls are taught plain sewing; a Boys' Club for their entertainment and help; a Mothers' Club; a Night School three nights of every week, and a Sunday School. It is slow work at first; so difficult to reach those most in need of help. There are plenty of poor in the city, but the worthy poor are shy and reticent. The fakes are numerous and impose on their benefactors.

The local Missionary Society of our Colonial Hill Church has fourteen members. We have been giving twenty dollars a year towards the support of Rev. Mr. Espinoza, a native pastor in Montmorelo, Mexico. This year we have pledged to give one hundred dollars to missions. We do not have oyster suppers or bazaars to raise this, but each member will earn her share by sewing or any other way she finds practical.

Revel meetings have just been held in the Westminster Church, led by Rev. Frank Wright, who is a half-blood Indian. They say he is a fine evangelist, (I could not go to hear him, being held in the clutches of la grippe at that time,) and there were a number of conversions. Mr. Wright is now in St. Louis holding meetings. Rev. Motte Martin from Africa is to be in the city Sunday and our Missionary Society hopes to have him at our church before he leaves. He is a young man whom his father, well-to-do, has disowned because he studied for the ministry instead of law.

The postman will be here soon and I want him to take this. He will bring me the REGISTER. Sometimes there is not so much news as others. Then I realize that everything is going on in a quiet, uneventful way, and, really, that is good news. Best wishes to everybody.

S. F. R.

Given Up To Die.

B. Spigel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which caused me much pain and worry. I lost flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and I was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured." Why not let it help you? Sold by all druggists.

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Men's Heavy Fleece-Lined Underwear, per Garment	40c
Ladies' " " " "	25c
Men's Overcoats as low as	\$2.00
Ladies' Cloaks and Jackets as low as	1.25
Men's Felt Boots, Fine Quality	1.95
Rubber Fur Felt Boots, Fine Quality	1.45
Arctics	1.20
Boys' and Men's Winter Caps	15c
\$2.35 Men's Heavy Leather Shoe	\$1.90
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Men's Heavy Wool Shirts	1.00
Ladies' Good Heavy Skirts, as low as	1.00
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Men's Leggings, GOOD QUALITY	30c
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When you have a bad cough or cold do not let it drag along until it becomes chronic or develops into an attack of pneumonia, but give it the attention it deserves and get rid of it. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you are sure of prompt relief. For sale by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Des Are Items.

We have had a fine week for business. Spring frogs are croaking. I think winter is over.

The sick are all getting better. E. W. Graves and wife, L. L. Schmidt and J. L. Strader were in the city last week.

Lumber orders are getting a little better. Fitz, Stamp & Co. have orders for one hundred thousand black oak, but at low price.

We have three telegraph operators here now. The third man is from Silica. That office has been closed. Annapolis night office has been closed. Fisher engines being here necessitate night and day office at Des Arc.

Carroll Myers, son of E. Myers, at Chaffee, and Miss Edie Hickman were married last Saturday at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Chas. Hickman. The bridegroom is general manager of the Reynolds County Telephone Co., with headquarters at Piedmont. He is a model young man. Miss Hickman is one of Des Arc's accomplished young ladies. They left on Sunday night for Piedmont where they will reside. We wish them much joy.

Dugdale and wife of Piedmont spent Sunday with relatives here. Joe Barth and family are here from St. Louis visiting relatives.

T. P. Fitz and wife are visiting their daughter, Mrs. G. W. Morris, at Farmington.

Geo. Gassman is spending this week at his home in Middlebrook. Mrs. Jas. Lovelace, Jr., has gone to Poplar Bluff, where she will join her husband.

Miss May Williams is visiting relatives in Flat River.

Mrs. Harry Myrick from Piedmont visited relatives here last week.

Miss Maude Fitz is home from Piedmont this week.

Miss Edna Huggins has returned to her home at Sabula.

Mrs. Cager Semands died at her home near here last week of stomach trouble. She was 74 years of age. She leaves five children: John, George and Will, Mrs. Bud Ruble and a daughter who lives near Potosi. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church. Her funeral was conducted from the Holiness Church by Rev. Walter Strother. Her husband preceded her to the other shore about three years ago. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved ones in their hour of sorrow.

ISAAC.

SUPPLEMENT.

My wife and I spent Sunday with our daughter, Mrs. Morris, in Farmington. Farmington, like all other towns, is suffering from the panic. Business is very quiet here. We attended the Baptist Church and heard a fine sermon. The choir sang, "How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds!" It was the first time I had heard the song in forty years. It brought back my boyhood days when I attended services in Virginia.

The local option fight is on here in earnest and the good people, including the ladies, are doing their best to win. The whiskey

element is laying low, but working quietly. They will put in their best looks on election day—like they did at Des Arc. The wet men came in from the country, stood around the polls and told every man that if the county went dry taxes would be doubled. The voters believed what was told them and Des Arc went wet. We do hope that St. Francois county will go dry, as there is some one killed in that county every week.

Valuable Remedy for Colds and Croup.

W. W. Gray, an attorney at Wentachee, Wash., says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for colds and croup with good results. I aim to always keep this remedy in the house." Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Bismarck White Lily Flour at Barnhouse's.

From Belleview.

Sunday here was surely an ideal spring day; rain and sunshine, with a balmy atmosphere, heavily laden with the sweet perfume of the witch-hazel bloom.

Your writer attended services at the Methodist church here Sunday; Rev. Jas. M. Tinnell, the present pastor, certainly did his subject justice. This occasion being his first sermon here, he made a very favorable impression, indeed, and it is to be hoped that he will accomplish much good in this town. It matters not to me whether a man is Methodist, Baptist, or Presbyterian, just so he is really in possession of the spirit, has a love for the work, and can put forth a tangible effort to save fallen man, and in general help to raise the standard of morality in our land. From what we heard in the discourse yesterday, we believe Rev. Tinnell is in possession of the characteristics named.

Mrs. J. M. Hawkins returned last week from Flat River, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Morris.

Mrs. Patterson and daughter, Lola, visited Mrs. Latham Saturday afternoon.

Mr. James Moyer, of Graniteville, visited Jno. T. Patterson Friday afternoon. Mr. Moyer contemplates leaving Graniteville this spring.

Judge R. J. Hill, who a few weeks ago sold his farm near town, last Friday purchased from Messrs. H. Latham and P. G. Carty the McLeod property in east Belleview, and will within the next few days remove his family to town. Mr. Hill will make an extended trip to various points in the southwest, starting about the first of April, in view of "looking out" a permanent location for himself and family. It is not his intention to remain long in Belleview, but he, of course, wants to see his family pleasantly located before he starts on his tour of the South West. The people of Belleview proper welcome the family here, and wish for Mr. Hill a pleasant and profitable journey, westward.

A gentleman from Illinois was in this locality last week, looking for a suitable opportunity to purchase a whole section of land. After looking over several adjoining farms, he departed for his home. As he appeared to be somewhat reticent concerning his intentions, we cannot give any definite information as to whether he found just what he wanted. Of one thing we are sure; it will

take quite a sum of money to purchase a section of land in Belleview valley.

Miss Della Buford, of Ironton, attended church here Sunday.

Alfred Moyer, of Iron Mountain, visited friends near town Saturday and Sunday.

B. P. Burnham and family, of Pilot Knob, visited Judge Moyer and family here Sunday.

Judge R. Hill last Friday received a telegram from California stating that his sister, Sallie, had just died there. Mrs. J. C. Russell (nee Hill), who for the past two months had been visiting her sister in California, will accompany the remains of her sister to Belleview for interment.

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Cure that Cold While You Can.

Better spend the small amount a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy would cost you right now than to run the risk of a cold developing into pneumonia, which may mean a big doctor's bill. For sale by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

In Memoriam.

"He giveth His beloved sleep" came to us with new beauty as we looked at Father Whitworth lying in his casket.

How peacefully he slept after his long and useful life!

The funeral was from the church of which he was a member and staunch supporter—"The Little Church on the Hill."

Of his religious views he said little, but a consistent life speaks louder than words. He believed in "doing" and was willing to leave the "saying" to others.

He was laid to rest by the side of the wife of his youth, of whom he always spoke with such loving tenderness. There they will sleep, awaiting the resurrection morning, at which time "the dead in Christ shall rise first."

The floral offerings were beautiful and appropriate. The pillow of white flowers, with the one word, "Rest," formed of purple violets, suggested God's tender, careful love for his tired children.

The sheaf of wheat and the sickle were beautiful emblems. "Behold the husbandman waiteth for the precious fruit of the earth, and hath long patience for it," but when it is well ripened, the angel with the sickle came to cut it for the Master. It is sweet to think that the keen edge of the sickle is hidden from sight by the beautiful flower of God's mercy and love.

The wreath typified the crown of life that God has promised to those who love Him.

May God's richest blessings rest on his children, grandchildren, and the dear little great granddaughter, so far away!

"Even down to old age, all my people shall prove,
My sovereign, eternal, unchangeable love!"
ONE WHO LOVED MUCH.

For Sale or Trade—Surrey, two buggies and a phaeton. Will exchange for horse and pay balance in cash.

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